

**CONGRESSIONAL RECORD No.84;Session of  
Tuesday, May 22, 2007  
MAJOR FLOOR ACTIONS OF THE DAY**

**SENATE**

**ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE** concluded a hearing to examine the case for the California waiver, focusing on California's pending request that the Environmental Protection Agency **waive federal preemption for the state's greenhouse emission standards** for motor vehicles. No **EPA** witness testified. (D722)

**HOUSE**

**LANTOS (D-CA)** introduced **H.R.2420** for himself and others to declare United States policy on international climate cooperation, to authorize assistance to **promote clean and efficient energy** technologies in foreign countries, and to establish the International Clean Energy Foundation. (H5620)

**OBERSTAR (D-MN)** introduced **H.R.2421** for himself and others to amend the **Federal Water Pollution Control Act** to clarify the jurisdiction of the United States over waters of the United States. (H5620)

**GONZALES (D-TX)** introduced **H.R.2422** to require railroad carriers to prepare and maintain a plan for notifying local emergency responders before transporting **hazardous materials** through their jurisdictions. (H5620)

**LaTOURETTE (R-OH)** introduced **H.R.2423** for himself and others to provide for the management and treatment of ballast water to prevent the introduction of **nonindigenous aquatic species** into coastal and inland waters of the United States. (H5620)

**BOSWELL (D-IA)** introduced **H.R.2426** for himself and others to require the Secretary of Energy to award funds to study the feasibility of constructing dedicated ethanol pipelines, to address technical factors that prevent transportation of ethanol in existing pipelines, and to increase the energy, economic, and **environmental security** of the United States. (H5620)

**ISRAEL (D-NY)** introduced **H.R.2437** for himself and others to provide for the establishment of an energy efficiency and **renewable energy** finance and investment advisory committee. (H5621)